

# Foodstuffs Onboard Aircraft Exempted From Removal as Regulated Garbage<sup>1</sup>

Unused meals and other foodstuffs carried aboard aircraft in the galley are subject to removal as garbage regulated by the United States Department of Agriculture, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) under Title 7 Code of Federal Regulations §330.400-§330.403 and Title 9 Code of Federal Regulations §94.5.

The following commodities are exempted from these regulations and are allowed to remain onboard\*:

## **Processed Foods**

- Caviar
- Pickles
- Smoked fish products (no cream sauces)
- Chocolate Bars/Chocolates
- Dry Cereal (e.g. Corn Flakes)
- Drink Mixes (Including dried milk)
- Candy (e.g. After dinner mints)

## **Condiments**

- Individual Salad Dressings (with or without dairy ingredients)
- Individual Jam/Preserves Portions (Honey, strawberry, marmalade)
- Individual dry dairy creamers
- Non-dairy creamers
- Gum Syrup
- Tabasco Sauce
- Soy Sauce
- Wasabi
- Horseradish
- Ketchup
- Mustard
- Salt, sugar, pepper

**Prepackaged snacks** such as, pretzels, chips, nuts, crackers, cookies, shelf stable cheese spread (without liquid).

## **Beverages**

- Such as alcoholic drinks, soda, coffee, juice, tea, water

\*The foodstuffs and beverages listed above shall not be comingled/contaminated with APHIS regulated garbage. If they are contaminated with APHIS regulated garbage, then they are regulated.

Note: This list will be revised as commodities are approved by APHIS for inclusion.

<sup>1</sup>Unused meals, foodstuffs and other agricultural commodities carried in the cargo hold must be presented as cargo. These commodities are not exempt from APHIS regulations under V.S.I.E. (vessel supplies for immediate export) and must meet all U.S. import requirements.